

## **Prescription Drug Offenses**

The following File Class, Property Class, etc., should be used in incidents involving prescription drugs.

## Scenario One:

An Offender is in possession of a forged prescription note from a doctor's office and attempts to pass it at the pharmacy and the pharmacist knows it was not from a doctor and calls the police. Police arrive and arrest the offender before any transaction has been made for the prescription.

File Class: 25000, Counterfeiting/Forgery

Arrest Code: 2589, Forgery (Other)
Property Loss Type: 3 – Counterfeited/Forged

Property Class: 22 – Non-negotiable instruments

Property Value: 0

## Scenario Two:

An offender enters a pharmacy with a forged prescription and passes the forged prescription to the pharmacist and receives the drugs. Later, police arrest the offender.

File Class: 25000, Counterfeiting/Forgery AND File Class: 26001, Fraud-False Pretense/

Swindle/Confidence Game

Arrest Code: 2589, Forgery (Other) AND 2699, Fraud

(Other) - only one sent to MICR

Property Loss Type: 3 – Counterfeited/Forged

AND Property Loss Type: 7 – Stolen

Property Description: 22 – Non-negotiable instruments

AND Property Description: 10 - Drugs/Narcotics

Property Value: Item #1 - 0

Item #2 – Value of the drugs would be the amount of what it would cost someone to get the prescription(s).